

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
(LETTERHEAD - ADDRESS)

3104 (Office Code)

BLM Bond No.

DECISION

Obligor:

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Certificate of Deposit

Bond Amount:

Financial Institution:

Statewide/Nationwide Personal Bond and Certificate of Deposit Accepted

On (Date), this office received a personal bond and a certificate of deposit (CD) in the amount of (\$150,000 for nationwide bond coverage) (\$25,000 to secure a statewide bond for the State of (Name)) for the above obligor. The bond and certificate of deposit have been examined and found acceptable. Therefore, the bond is accepted effective (Date).

The pledge for the bond is a CD written by the financial institution named above. The document will be retained by the BLM until all terms and conditions of the lease have been fulfilled or until a satisfactory replacement bond has been accepted by the BLM. If the term of the CD expires prior to release or replacement of the bond, the obligor may obtain the return of the certificate only by providing a replacement certificate made payable to the Department of the Interior-BLM, and bearing interest payable to the obligor or another designated party. Otherwise, the certificate will be redeemed or retained for potential redemption to guarantee fulfillment of the obligor's obligations on Federal leases (*nationwide) (in the State of (Name)).

The bond will be maintained by this office. The bond constitutes coverage of all operations conducted by or on behalf of the obligor on Federal leases (*nationwide) (in the State of (Name)). The bond provides coverage of the obligor where that obligor has interest in, and/or responsibility for operations on, leases issued under the authority of any of the Acts cited on the bond form. Please note that Federal leases do not include Indian leases.

Authorized Officer

Distribution:

Obligor

Financial Institution

*NOTE: If a nationwide bond, replace wording with *all Federal leases except those in the National Petroleum Reserve in Alaska (NPR-A)